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Dear Mr. Niles:

FINAL APPROVAL PACKAGE FOR THE OCTOBER 2015 TENTATIVE AGREEMENT ON HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT ORDER REVISIONS FOR CENTRAL PLATEAU CLEANUP

The U.S. Department of Energy Richland Operations Office, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and Washington State Department of Ecology thank you for your comments on the October 2015 Tentative Agreement on Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order Revisions for Central Plateau Cleanup. Your comments, as well as other comments provided on the proposed changes, were considered and influenced the final revisions to the milestones. Given the magnitude of public comments received and the clear, consistent message, the agencies were able to incorporate these values and concerns by reprioritizing cleanup work, setting clear milestone due dates, and establishing three new milestones.

More detail on the manner in which your comments shaped the final milestone changes is provided in the Comments and Responses section of the Final Approval Package. A listing of the finalized milestones is also contained within this document. The Final Approval Package is available in the Tri-Party Agreement (TPA) Administrative Record at http://pdw.hanford.gov/arpir/index.cfm/viewDoc?accession=0076600H.

All comments received during the public comment period are available at

- Part 1: http://pdw.hanford.gov/arpir/index.cfm/viewDoc?accession=0077206H
- Part 2: http://pdw.hanford.gov/arpir/index.cfm/viewDoc?accession=0077205H
- Part 3: http://pdw.hanford.gov/arpir/index.cfm/viewDoc?accession=0077204H.

Questions or comments? Please contact the agencies at Hanford@ecy.wa.gov.

Thank you again for your interest in Hanford cleanup.

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